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SUBJECT: VISIT OF HIGH LEVEL AFL-CIO OFFICIALS TO ROC

REF: (A) TAIPEI 4313, (NOTAL) (B) STATE 167787 (NOTAL)

1. DURING AUGUST 21 BREAKFAST MEETING WITH AMERICAN
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OFFICIALS IN TAIPEI, AFL-CIO
OFFICIALS HERE ON FIVE-DAY VISIT FROM AUGUST 18-22,
EXPRESSED SUPPORT FOR THE CHAMBER'S POSITION ON THE QUESTION
OF NORMALIZATION. JOSEPH TONELLI (PAPERWORKERS UNION REPRESENT-
ATIVE) INFORMED THE GROUP UNOFFICIALLY THAT THEIR PURPOSE IN
COMING TO TAIWAN AT THIS TIME WAS TO "COUNTER" THE
VISIT OF SECRETARY OF STATE VANCE TO PEKING.

2. TONELLI AND AFL-CIO VICE PRESIDENT MARTIN WARD
BOTH STATED THAT THEY WOULD SUBMIT A COMPREHENSIVE
REPORT TO AN AFL-CIO CONVENTION WHICH IS SCHEDULED FOR
AUGUST 27-29 AND THAT THEY WERE CONFIDENT, BASED ON
THEIR FINDINGS DURING THEIR TRIP TO TAIWAN, THAT THE
AFL-CIO WOULD MAKE OPPOSITION TO DIPLOMATIC
NORMALIZATION WITH THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA
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"A MAJOR GOAL" OF AFL-CIO POLITICAL ACTION PROGRAM.
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